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### Definitions of state machine on the Web:

A behavior that specifies the sequences of states that an object or an interaction goes through during its life in response to events, together with its responses and actions.  
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A state machine is a concept used in computer science for simulating several things. Basically, your program (or in the psychology example, you) chills at a certain state for a while, doing whatever is specified at that state, until it is told to move on to a different state by instructions in the current state or an external stimulus.

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